



**DEPARTMENT OF THE AIR FORCE
UNITED STATES AIR FORCE BAND OF THE GOLDEN WEST (AMC)
TRAVIS AIR FORCE BASE CALIFORNIA**

8 Nov 2016

The USAF Band of the Golden West
551 Waldron St, Bldg 240
Travis AFB, CA 94535

Dear Candidate,

Thank you for your interest in the Bass audition for The United States Air Force Band of the Golden West. This musical audition will be conducted in two parts: (a) an initial screening and selection by pre-recorded CD and (b) a live audition for those selected from the initial screening. Details concerning both CD submission and the live audition are attached. Please look over these requirements carefully to determine if you are prepared to take the audition at this time. The following information outlines requirements and important dates:

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| 12 Dec 2016 | Deadline for receipt of all musical pre-screening materials.
Demonstration CDs cannot be returned to applicant. |
| 16 Dec 2016 | Each candidate will be notified whether or not he/she is invited to participate in the live auditions. |
| 6 Feb 2017 | Live auditions at Travis Air Force Base, Fairfield, CA |

Members of the USAF Band receive full medical and dental benefits, 30 days' vacation with pay per year and Post 9/11 GI Bill for college up to \$80,000. There is a four-year minimum enlistment required and the maximum age at time of enlistment is 39.

In order to eliminate any disqualifying factors, every candidate will be required to meet with an official United States Air Force Recruiter prior to attending the live audition to ensure they are pre-qualified to attend basic training. Our office will initiate this visit after we find you musically qualified. Once we have received an official memorandum from your recruiter you will receive an official audition invitation from The Band of the Golden West containing instructions for travel as well as details for the audition day.

Thank you so much for contacting the United States Air Force Band of the Golden West regarding this upcoming audition. We hope you have a great experience during this process and wish you the best of luck. Please let me know if I can help you along in this process. Contact the Band of the Golden West Auditions Coordinator directly at bandofthegoldenwestauditions@gmail.com or (707) 424 - 0231 if you have any additional questions.

Attachments:

1. Audition Pre-Screen Requirements